

What Is Palliative Care?

Palliative Care is a unique concept of care designed to help terminally ill patients and their families live life fully and with dignity, and to help loved ones cope after death.

Eaton Community Palliative Care supports this philosophy of care by placing control of care in the patient's hands, supporting the patient and family as a "unit of care," at home or at one of our two Palliative Care residences.

Palliative care is intended to ease pain without curing, neither prolonging life nor hastening death. Palliative care includes the patient and family as part of the team and provides the education and support the family needs to participate in caring for the patient.

Survivors Support Group Meets Every Monday

Eaton Community Palliative Care offers Survivors Support Group Meetings to discuss the issues related to the death of a loved one. Our group meets **every Monday in Charlotte**. If you have experienced the loss of a loved one, feel free to join one of our groups.

You do not need to have been served by Eaton Community Palliative Care to attend

Please Call 517-543-5310 for Times and Locations



Eaton Community Palliative Care



Eaton Community Palliative Care, Inc. was founded in 1983 to address the need for end-of-life care for the terminally ill while providing support services for their families.



The great rooms, with TVs and fireplaces, are a favorite place for family members and patients to gather and talk.

The 12 patient rooms come equipped with cable TV, private bath, seating for family members, and a peaceful view of the pond and memorial garden.



Our first residence opened in 2003 and our second opened in 2013. Eaton Community Palliative Care provides homes for those needing compassionate and loving care during their final days. Our private patient rooms overlook a pond and flower garden.



The decks on the Palliative Care residences allow patients to enjoy the outdoors with views of the pond and memorial garden.

The Memorial Garden, with gazebo, pond, and flowers, is in memory of Leland and Opal Peck. The serene area, with walks, is popular with patients and families.



Eaton Community Palliative Care helps provide diverse services to patients and their families in our community who are living with a terminal illness. It is our mission to assist these families whenever possible.



Jay Brandt, Eaton Community Volunteer, with Larry Miller, a patient, on a Palliative Care residence deck.

The Eaton Community Palliative Care Volunteer Team spends countless hours doing:

Patient Care

Meal Preparation

Office Help

Thrift Store Staff

Maintenance

Board Members

Fund Raising

Errands

Grocery Shopping

Web Site Maintenance



Did you know...

- We offer durable medical equipment, at no cost, to each family to make caring for their loved one safe and easier?
- We offer spiritual care to each family allowing peace of mind?
- We offer respite services, providing a much needed break from the stresses of care giving?

A majority of our funding comes from people like you, people who kindheartedly give

- We offer a Survivors Support Group every Monday?
- We offer all of these services with the use of volunteers who genuinely want to help?

